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 Honorable William S. Mailliard  
 House of Representatives  
 Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Mailliard:

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In view of your interest in the application of Miss [ ] for employment with this Agency, I would like to advise that her application was carefully considered in the light of her qualifications and suitable openings. By letter dated 24 June 1963, Miss [ ] was advised by our Director of Personnel that no suitable position in line with her qualifications had been located.

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Your office has inquired whether the age of Miss [ ] was a bar to her employment with the Agency. It is true that age is a factor which must be considered in assignment of individuals to certain overseas areas. Because of health factors and other considerations, the Agency would not be able to assign Miss [ ] to certain overseas posts. In addition, we reviewed Miss [ ]'s qualifications against those of other applicants for position vacancies and determined that we would be able to fill these vacancies with more qualified personnel with the prospect of a greater degree of flexibility in future assignments.

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You may be assured that Miss [ ]'s application was given most careful consideration and I am sure you will agree that we have the responsibility of selecting the best qualified personnel from among all applicants. This we have done.

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Sincerely,

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